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NEW ABSTRACT

An electric circuit for igniting a discharge lamp includes a voltage source, and at least one condenser electrically connected to the voltage source. Further, a series chain is provided, electrically connected in parallel with the condenser, of at least one ignition and at least one inductor. A discharge lamp is electrically connected in parallel with the ignition.